



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
STATE ELECTIONS ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION

MINUTES
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REGULAR MEETING
5th Floor Conference Room
July 10, 2014
4:00 P.M.

I. Call to Order

Commissioner Castagno was present via teleconference and called the meeting to order at 4:00 P.M. Commissioner Salvatore Bramante was present. Commissioners Stephen Penny, Patricia Stankevicius and Michael Ajello were also present via teleconference. Agency staff was also present.

Commissioner Castagno requested that the agenda be amended to add to an executive session as item IA for Recommendations of Counsel Regarding Grant Applications.

Commissioner Castagno added to the agenda under section II, item 28, "The Committee to Re-Elect State Senator Eric D. Coleman," Eric Coleman.

Commissioner Castagno added to the agenda as IIa. Continuation of all prior applications awaiting additional information to qualify for a grant.

IA. Executive Session per General Statutes §§ 1-200(6)(B) and (E), and 1-210(b)(1),(3),(4),(10) and General Statutes §9-7a, as amended by Public Act 11-48 §300 (Preliminary draft and agency consideration of enforcement action and exempt records relative thereto)

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny at 4:02 P.M. to proceed into Executive Session pursuant to General Statutes §§ 1-200(6)(B) and (E), and 1-210(b)(1),(3),(4),(10) to discuss strategy and negotiations with respect to pending claims and exempt records. So voted.

Commissioner Bramante was present. Commissioners Castagno, Penny and Ajello were present via teleconference. Staff members present were, Joshua Foley, Linda Waterman, Shannon Kief, Michael Brandi and Sheri-Lyn Lagueux.

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny at 4:10 P.M. to return to public session. So voted.

Returning to public session, the Commission took the following action:

1. Recommendations of Counsel Regarding Grant Applications

No votes taken.

II. *Consideration of Application for Public Grants from the Citizens' Election Fund*

1. "McKinney for Governor," John McKinney

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to continue without prejudice the grant application for "McKinney for Governor," John McKinney. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

2. "Friends of Russ," Russell Morin

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Friends of Russ," Russell Morin. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

3. "Gennaro Bizzaro for State Representative," Gennaro Bizzaro

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Gennaro Bizzaro for State Representative," Gennaro Bizzaro. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

4. "Currey 2014," Jeffrey Currey

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Currey 2014," Jeffrey Currey. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

5. "Friends of Guerrera 2014," Antonio "Tony" Guerrera

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to continue without prejudice the grant application for "Friends of Guerrera 2014," Antonio "Tony" Guerrera. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

6. "Laura Hoydick for State Representative," Laura Hoydick

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to continue without prejudice the grant application for "Laura Hoydick for State Representative," Laura Hoydick. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

7. "Stoddard for State Representative," Patty Stoddard

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Stoddard for State Representative," Patty Stoddard. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

8. "Wooden for Senate," Shawn Wooden

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Wooden for Senate," Shawn Wooden. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

9. "Adinolfi 2014," Alfred Adinolfi

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to continue without prejudice the grant application for "Adinolfi 2014," Alfred Adinolfi. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

10. "Betsy Ritter for Senate," Betsy Ritter

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Betsy Ritter for Senate," Betsy Ritter. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

11. "JP 2014," J.P. Sredzinski

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "JP 2014," J.P. Sredzinski. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

12. "Santiago for State Representative," Hilda Santiago

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Santiago for State Representative," Hilda Santiago. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

13. "Simanski 2014," William Simanski

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to continue without prejudice the grant application for "Simanski 2014," William Simanski. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

14. "Arconti 2014," David Arconti

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Arconti 2014," David Arconti. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

15. "Bumgardner for Connecticut," Aundre Bumgardner

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Bumgardner for Connecticut," Aundre Bumgardner. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

16. "Butler 2014," Larry Butler

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to continue without prejudice the grant application for "Butler 2014," Larry Butler. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

17. "Crisco 2014," Joseph Crisco

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Crisco 2014," Joseph Crisco. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

18. "Davis 2014," Christopher Davis

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Davis 2014," Christopher Davis. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

19. "Elect Vicki Lanier for State Rep.," Victoria Lanier

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Elect Vicki Lanier for State Rep.," Victoria Lanier. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

20. "Genga 2014," Henry Genga

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Genga 2014," Henry Genga. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

21. "Kathy for 22nd District," Katherine Pugliese

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to continue without prejudice the grant application for "Kathy for 22nd District," Katherine Pugliese. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

22. "Suzio 2014," Len Suzio

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Suzio 2014," Len Suzio. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

23. "Re-Elect Dave Yaccarino," David Yaccarino

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for "Re-Elect Dave Yaccarino," David Yaccarino. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

24. “Bradley for Bridgeport,” Dennis Bradley

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for “Bradley for Bridgeport,” Dennis Bradley. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

25. “David A. Watts 2014,” David Watts

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for “David A. Watts 2014,” David Watts. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

26. “Morris is For Us,” Bruce Morris

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for “Morris is For Us,” Bruce Morris. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

27. “Henri Martin for State Senate,” Henri Martin

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for “Henri Martin for State Senate,” Henri Martin. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

28. “The Committee to Re-Elect State Senator Eric D. Coleman,” Eric Coleman

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to approve the grant application for “The Committee to Re-Elect State Senator Eric D. Coleman,” Eric Coleman. So voted by a vote of 5-0.


IIA. Continuation of all prior applications awaiting additional information to qualify for a grant

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny to continue without prejudice all prior applications awaiting additional information to qualify for a grant. So voted by a vote of 5-0.

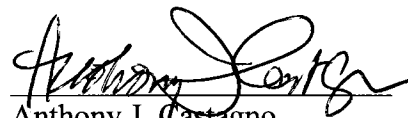
III. Adjournment

It was moved by Commissioner Stankevicius and seconded by Commissioner Penny at 4:27 P.M. to adjourn the meeting. So voted. Unless otherwise indicated, all votes of the Commission were unanimous.

Respectfully submitted,


Sheri-Lyn Lagueux
Clerk of the Commission

Adopted this 16th day of July, 2014 at Hartford, Connecticut.


Anthony J. Castagno
By Order of the Commission

The next regular scheduled meeting is July 16, 2014 at 9:00 A.M. in the 5th Floor Conference room.